

HARDWICK RECYCLING CENTER

COVID-19 GUIDELINES – STICKER PURCHASING & AVAILABLE SERVICES UPDATE

THE RECYCLING COMMISSION AND STAFF ARE PLEASED TO ANNOUNCE THAT THE HARDWICK RECYCLING CENTER WILL BE BEGIN SELLING STICKERS ON SATURDAY JULY 25, 2020. \$40 for Hardwick residents; \$80 for non-residents. Cash or check only.

PROTOCOL FOR PURCHASING STICKERS IS AS FOLLOWS:

- STICKERS WILL BE SOLD AT THE RECYCLING CENTER OFFICE WINDOW ONLY.
- IF PAYING BY CHECK, IT MUST BE FILLED OUT AHEAD OF TIME (NOT AT THE WINDOW. WE NEED TO KEEP THE LINE MOVING ALONG QUICKLY AS WE ARE LIMITED TO SPACE IN THE LOT)
- 6 FOOT DISTANCE LINES/CONES ARE IN PLACE – PLEASE OBSERVE SOCIAL DISTANCING
- IF THE DISTANCE LINES/CONES ARE FILLED, WE ASK THAT YOU REMAIN IN YOUR VEHICLE UNTIL YOU HAVE BEEN SIGNALLED BY STAFF TO GET INTO THE LINE
- MASKS MUST BE WORN

PLEASE BE ADVISED THAT THE SERVICES AVAILABLE AT THE CENTER HAS BEEN EXPANDED HOWEVER, WILL BE LIMITED TO THE FOLLOWING AT THIS TIME:

- USED OIL/ANTIFREEZE MAY BE DROPPED OFF AT THE GARAGE
- SCRAP METAL MAY BE DROPPED OFF AT THE METAL CONTAINER IN LOWER LOT

- MIXED PAPER/CARDBOARD
- COMINGLE (TIN CANS/PLASTIC)
- GLASS (FOOD & BEVERAGE BOTTLES ONLY)

PLEASE NOTE THAT THE CENTER IS NOT ACCEPTING REDEMPTION BOTTLES AND CANS AT THIS TIME. HOWEVER, THEY CAN BE RECYCLED IN THE APPROPRIATE COMINGLE OR GLASS COMPACTOR/CONTAINER LISTED ABOVE.

THE ABOVE REFERENCED COMPACTOR AREA IS LOCATED AT THE TOP SECTION OF THE CENTER. IN AN EFFORT TO MAINTAIN THE MANDATORY SAFTY STANDARDS FOR THE WORKPLACE AND THE PUBLIC THE FOLLOWING PROTOCOL FOR USE OF THESE SERVICES ARE:

- PATRONS MUST WEAR MASKS
- PATRONS MUST REMAIN IN THEIR VEHICLE UNTIL SIGNALLED BY STAFF TO PULL FORWARD AND UNLOAD
- PATRONS MUST ENTER THE COMPACTOR RAMP ONE PERSON AT A TIME AND REMAIN THERE UNTIL STAFF HAS CONFIRMED THAT YOUR ITEMS ARE ACCEPTABLE
- STAFF IS NOT ALLOWED TO REMOVE OR PLACE ANY ITEMS INTO PATRON VEHICLES
- IF ASSISTANCE IS NEEDED FOR UNLOADING YOUR VEHICLE, PLEASE MAKE ARRANGEMENTS TO HAVE A PERSON ACCOMPANY YOU TO ASSIST

THANK YOU FOR YOUR PATIENCE AS WE WORK THROUGH THIS TOGETHER. WE WANT YOU TO BE ASSURED THAT WE TAKE THE SAFETY OF OUR STAFF AND PATRONS VERY SERIOUSLY. WE HAVE ESTABLISHED A COVID-19 CONTROL PLAN FOR THE RECYCLING CENTER THAT MEETS THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE STATE MANDATORY SAFETY STANDARDS THAT ARE IN LINE WITH THE CDC.

PLEASE HELP IN THESE EFFORTS BY WEARING YOUR FACE MASK AND MAINTAINING SOCIAL DISTANCE.

WE WILL PROVIDE UPDATES AS WE PHASE IN THE OTHER RECYCLING SERVICES THAT WE NORMALLY PROVIDE.

SINCERELY,

HARDWICK RECYCLING COMMISSION & STAFF